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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.98, the following patents and/or publications are cited herewith:

U.S. Patent No. 5,126,286 (Chance), dated June 30, 1992;

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U.S. Patent No. 5,688,721 (Johnson), dated November 18, 1997;

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The above-mentioned references were cited in an *Information Disclosure Statement* dated January 16, 2002, in parent application No. 10/047,028.

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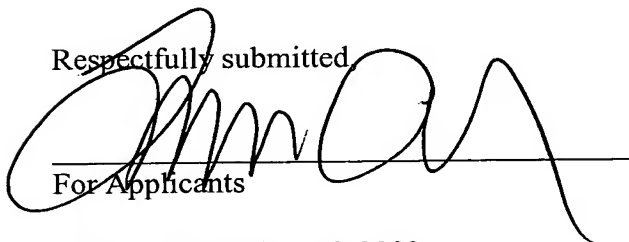
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Respectfully submitted,

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